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MINUTES OF THE GEOGRAPHIC RESEARCH AREA STAFF MEETING, 29 MARCH 1960

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1. New Work

PRESENT:

a. D/GG

A spot request received from WE is being incorporated into the formal Cuba project. DD/P has expressed some interest in the availability of information on international boundaries. Work is being planned on certain African country studies, which are to be done either as MR articles or GM's.

2. Travel Plans

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at ACIC, St/Louis, and SAC, Omaha. It was suggested that they be briefed by before leaving.

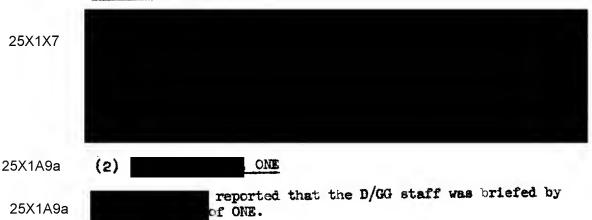
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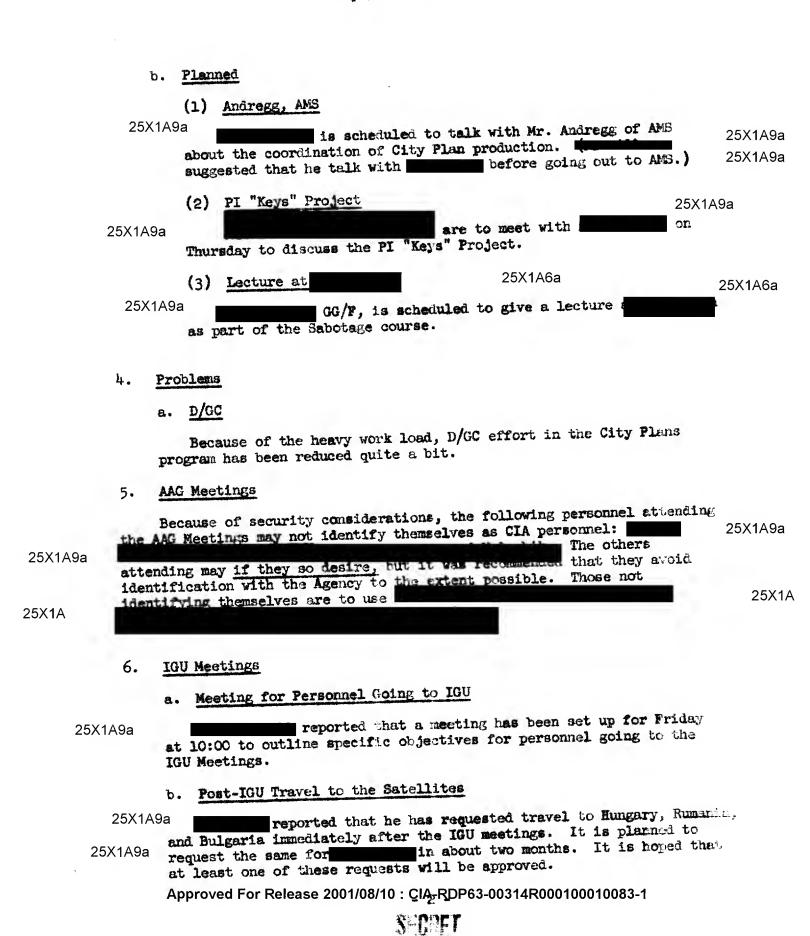
It is planned to send on an area familiarization trip to the Middle East, starting some time in May.

3. Significant Conversations and Contacts

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7. Task Force on Guided Missiles

A Task Force on guided missile problems, composed of some 70 ORR and OSI personnel, has been set up at the direction of the DD/I. This group is headed by and will be located on the second floor of M Building.

8. GRA Special Center Room

Because of the GM Task Force, GRA will have to give up Room 2127 M, and will instead share Room 1022 Q with group.

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9. Inspector General's Survey on Career Service

Chief/G has been named to prepare the CRR reply to a recent survey made by the IG on the CIA Career Service.

Division Chiefs look the Survey over and give him any comments they might have.

10. Power Position Paper

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in our contributions to the Power Position Paper.

11. Replacement for SA/RR

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has been appointed Acting SA/RR vice , who has been detailed to SAC for temporary duty.

12. New Cover for Map Acquisitions Lists

In answer to a question from the reported that additional samples are being prepared for possible covers for the Map Acquisitions Lists.

13. Trip Reports

An Office Notice will soon be issued with regard to trip reports. Now that only selected reports are to be sent to the DD/I, distribution will be determined by the Area office and the AD's office for each report.

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Geographic Attaches 25X1A9a 25X1A9a scheduled to have completed his is presently 25X1A in washington on nome Leave and for debriefing; and scheduled to leave Washington on 1 April. 15. Map Servicing of the DD/I 25X1A9a reported that he has spoken with the DD/I and other O/DD/I personnel on the servicing of their needs by the Map Library, and has fixed up some books of maps for the DD/I's use at high-level meetings. 25X1A9a plans to talk further with OCI on these matters after he has made complete arrangements with the DD/I's office.